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8 at Williams try to arrest recruiter

Eight Williams College students tried unsuccessfully yesterday to place a CIA recruiter on campus under citizen's arrest, but he walked away without talking to them and the group disbanded peacefully when it began to hail. The group, which called itself the Ad Hoc Committee to Stop the War Against Nicaragua, accused recruiter Steven Conn of conspiring and soliciting students to aid in illegal activities. The students also charged the college and campus security with obstructing justice. (AP)